## A Message From The Wing Commander

To the Senior Members and Cadets of the New York Wing:

I hope you'll accept this invitation to attend the 2004 New York Wing Conference and CadetFest at The Owego-Treadway Inn in Owego, New York. This year, the New York Wing looks back on 2003, as we continue our outstanding accomplishments as the premier Wing in Civil Air Patrol – none of this would be possible without you and the dedication of the Senior Members and Cadets that comprise the almost 2,700 Professional Corps of the New York Wing. Our Conference Theme this year is: "Soaring to New Heights". We have once again negotiated package rates covering various options for rooms and meals that I'm sure you will find very reasonable for the quality of food and accommodations we will receive.

Once again we are taking the initiative to bring together all members of the New York Wing – Senior and Cadet alike -- by offering simultaneous conferences. We will start our conference with an informal reception at 1900 on Friday evening. Saturday morning at 0830, both Cadets and Seniors will be together during the morning presentations, where we will review our accomplishments of the past year and look at the current year and where we need to focus as we continue on our journey of Excellence. We will also hear from several guest speakers, as well as our National and Region Leadership. And, we will recognize the outstanding accomplishments and dedication of our members. During the afternoon, Senior Members will have the option of attending various and interesting Seminars, while the Cadets will be attending their own Seminars. Later in the evening, we will join together again at our banquet reception at 1800, with the banquet itself beginning at 1900 as we celebrate our Outstanding Cadet NCO, Cadet Officer, Senior Member and Group of the Year, and hear from our fascinating guest speaker. Afterwards, the both Senior Members and Cadets will enjoy music to dance to.

Your Wing Staff, fellow CAP members and I hope to see you in Owego in April!

Sincerely yours,

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Commander, New York Wing

## **Directions for Registration:**

Seniors: If paying by check, complete the form and mail it to the address shown. If paying by Credit Card, complete the appropriate sections and you may either mail or fax the form directly to National Headquarters as indicated.

Cadets: Whether you are paying by Credit Card or by Check, you must complete the Cadet Release / Permission to Attend Form and submit it to the address shown on the Registration Section - DO NOT FAX THIS FORM. You also clearly need to identify the other Cadets staying in the room and they must also submit their Cadet Release Form and payment.

Remember, the deadline for ALL registrations is March 31<sup>st</sup>, be it by fax or mail. Any registrations received after this date may not be approved.

Refunds will not be issued after April 7th

**Flying In?** First Air at Binghamton Regional Airport (BGM) will provide free parking for corporate aircraft. Use your CAP-Flight Call Sign. Then call The Owego-Treadway Inn at **(607-687-4500)** and ask for the CAP Command Post. Someone will come and pick you up.

## **Traveling By Car?**

**From the South (Binghamton):** Take the NYS Route 17 West (Future Interstate 86 West) to Exit 65. Turn right at stop sign. Bear left at fork in the road towards Route 17C West. At the traffic light, turn right onto Route 17C West and the Owego Treadway Inn and Suites is on the left.

**From the East (Albany):** Take NYS Route 88 West to Binghamton to NYS Route 17 West and then follow the directions from Binghamton (above).

**From the Northeast (Syracuse):** Take NYS Route 81 South to NYS Route 17 West and then follow the directions from Binghamton (above).

**From the North (Ithaca):** Take NYS Route 96 South to Owego. Take Route 17C east for approximately 2 miles. The Owego-Treadway Inn will be on the right.

From the Northwest (Buffalo/Rochester): Take NYS Route 390 East to NYS Route 17 East to Exit 65 and then follow the directions from Binghamton (above).



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